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SUBJECT: JCIC-DIP-09-010: U.S. RESPONSE TO RUSSIA'S START  
FORMAT 81 NOTIFICATION REGARDING INCOMPLETENESS OR  
INSUFFICIENT QUALITY OF THE RECORDING OF TELEMETRIC  
INFORMATION PROVIDED REGARDING THE TRIDENT II SLBM FLIGHT  
TEST OF DECEMBER 10, 2008

REF: SECSTATE 92658

Classified By: Political Counselor Colin Cleary, Reason 1.4 (b/d)

1. (C) Embassy delivered reftel non-paper to MFA  
Proliferation Head Oleksander Bondarenko on September 14.  
Bondarenko thanked the U.S. for following up with Ukraine,  
and asked whether we had shared the same information with  
other Treaty signatories. He took the opportunity to raise  
now-familiar Ukrainian concerns regarding post-START security  
assurances. Post will follow up with MFA to seek any further  
reaction to the non-paper.  
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